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SCHOOL SONG

Oh, PHS we love you
You're our pride and you're our joy.
You hold a spot within the hearts of
Every girl and boy.
We'll honor you forever
We'll be loyal till we die
You always can depend on us
Dear Old Pantego High!

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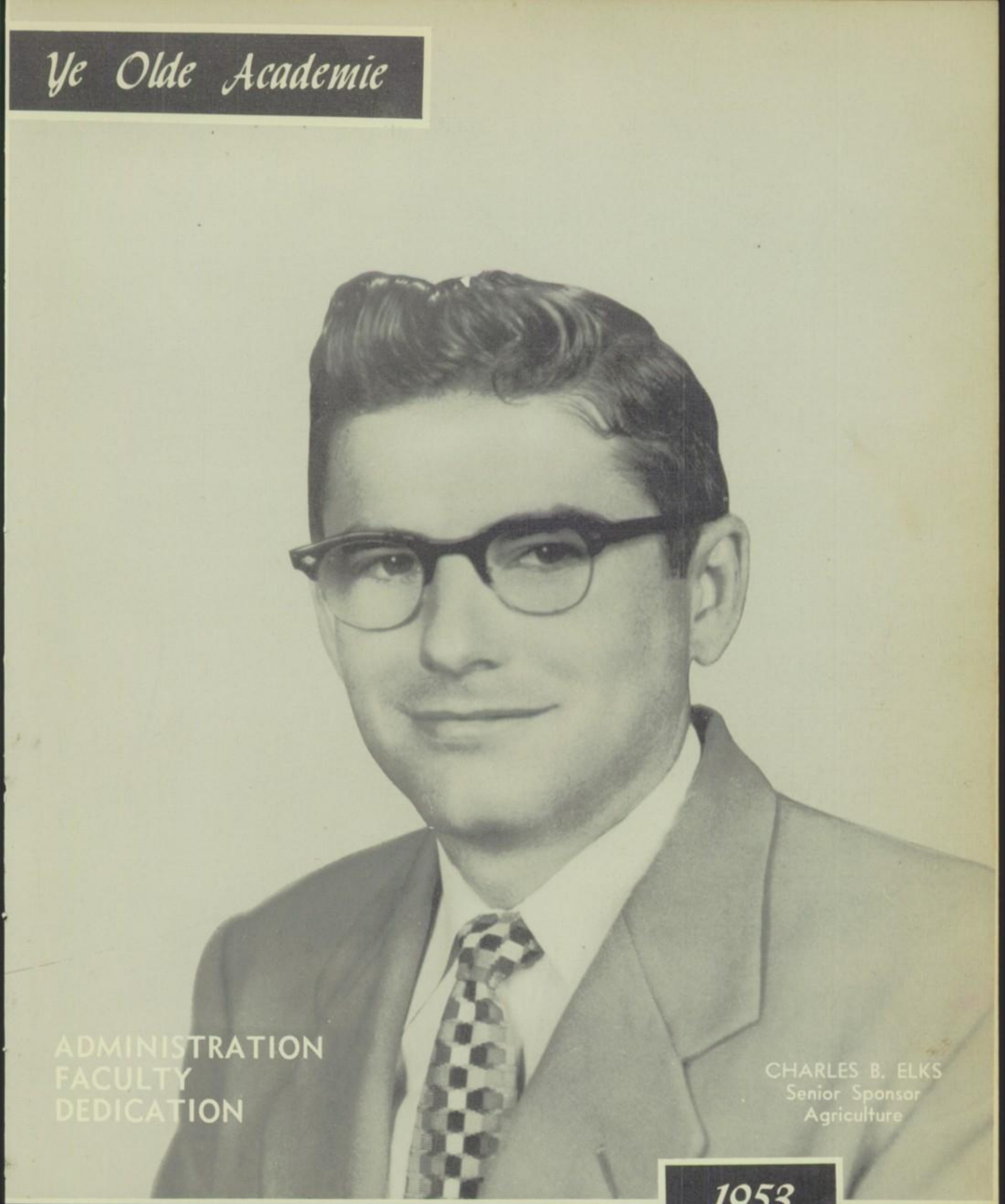

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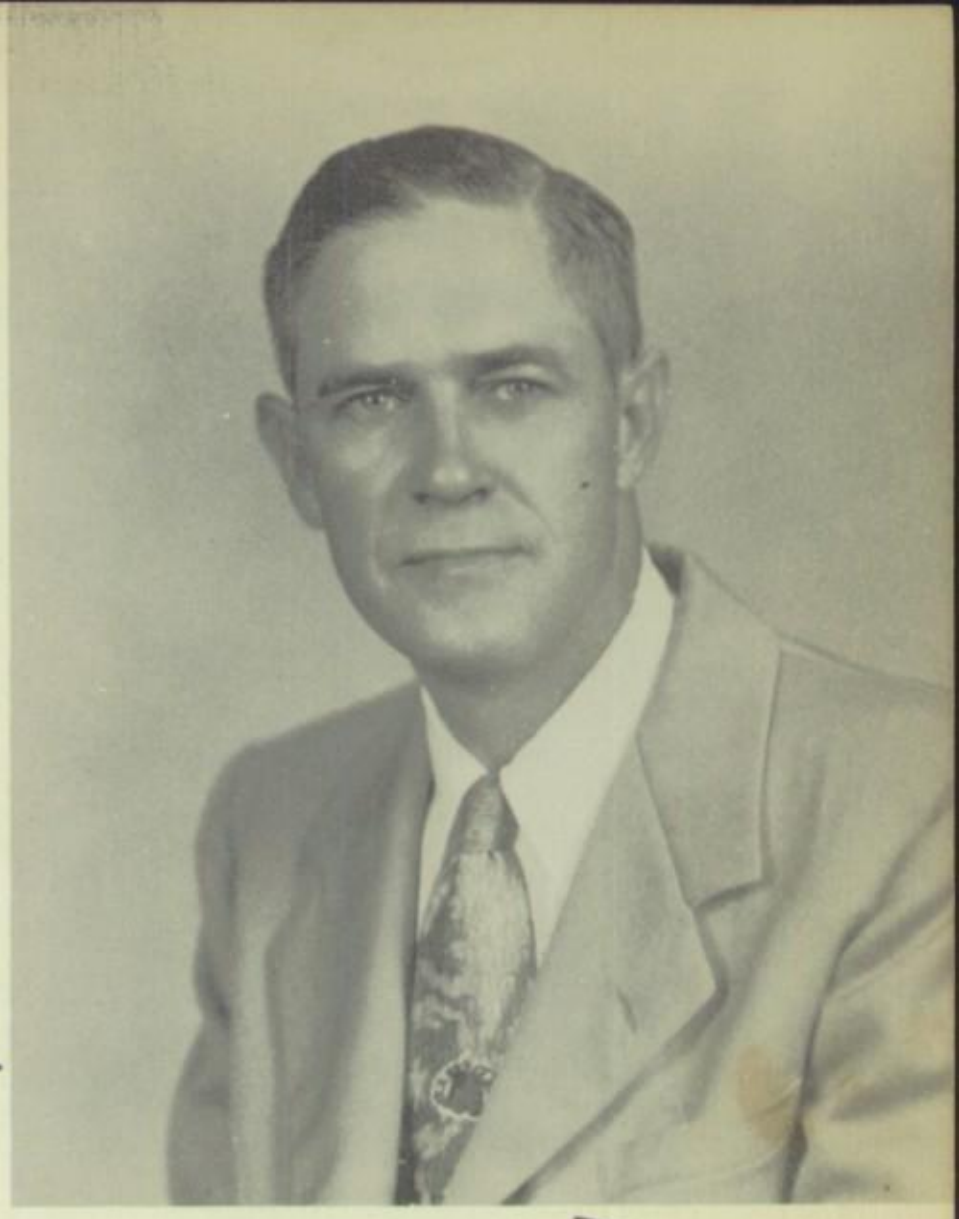
SUPERINTENDENT W. F. VEASEY

Mr. Veasey is known to all of us as Superintendent of Schools in this County. We would like for him to know the appreciation our student body has for such an unselfish and devoted friend to public education as he has proven himself to be.



November 21, 1952

To the Student Body of the Pantego High School:

There is no single pleasure that comes to me during the school year that gives me more satisfaction than when I open my school annual and turn from page to page observing the handiworks of our student body. I think of the countless hours of planning and working that have been necessary in the making of such a fine student body of such a tribute to such a fine institution. As you open your annual and noble institution. As you open your annual and unfold its pages of enjoyment, remember that I have been with you in your trials and hardships and am now with you during this passing moment of ecstacy.

Your educational well-being has always been my primary concern. I have always been proud to refer to you as MY student body. I shall continue to be deeply interested in you and wish for you much success and happiness.

Very sincerely yours,

Kelley Wallace

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Science

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Eighth Grade

MRS. VIOLA JARVIS
Seventh and Eighth Grades

ulty

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Seventh Grade

MRS. SARAH RADCLIFFE
Sixth Grade

MRS. MARY DAVENPORT
Fifth and Sixth Grades

MRS. ROY JACKSON
Fifth Grade

MRS. BETTIE LONG
Fourth Grade

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Third and Fourth Grades

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Third Grade

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Second Grade

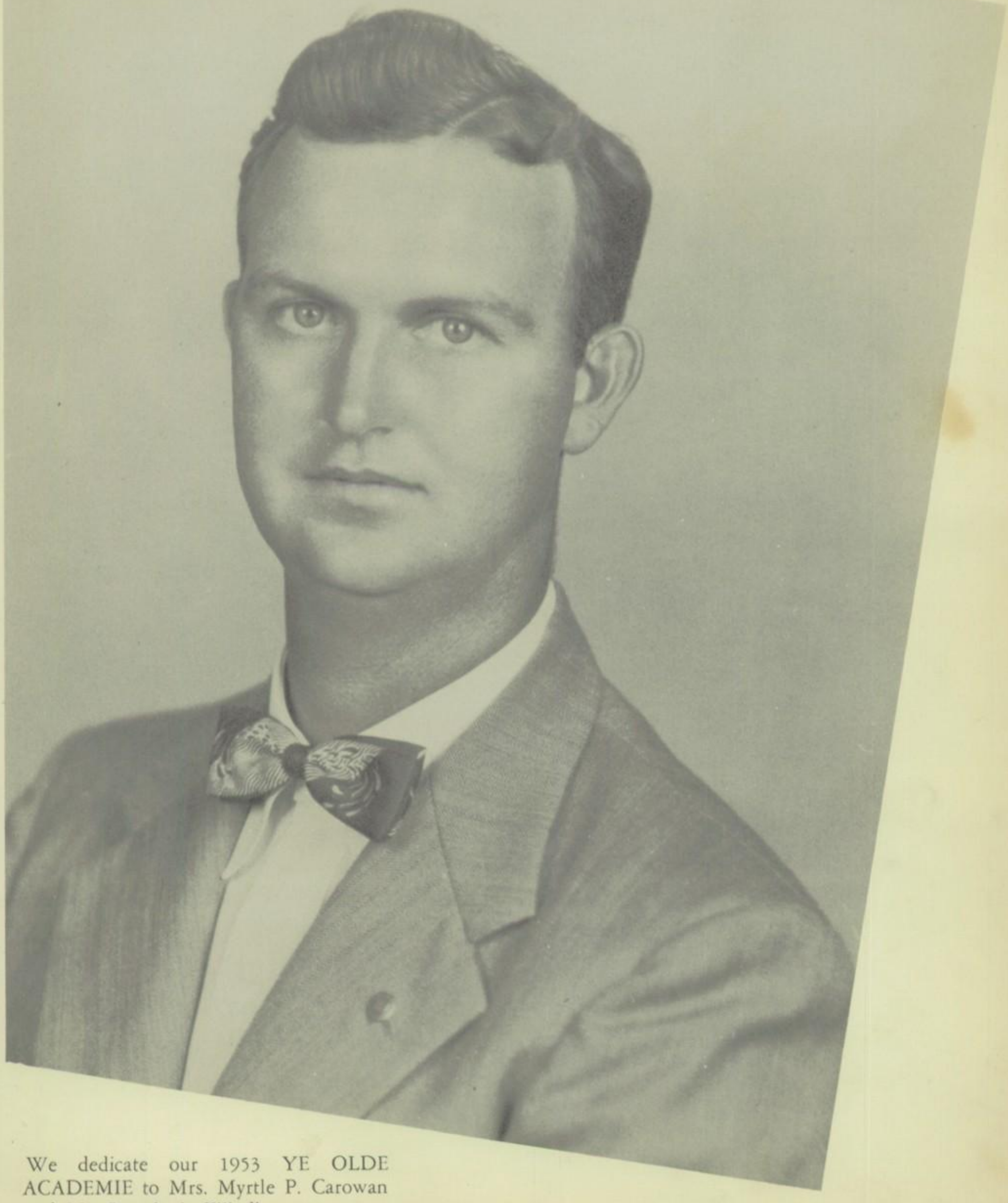
MRS. MARY COOPER
First and Second Grades

MRS. LAURA PAYNE
First Grade

Dedication

BECAUSE of their loyalty, helpfulness, and guidance to us in both work and play throughout our High School career . . .

Dedication



We dedicate our 1953 YE OLDE ACADEMIE to Mrs. Myrtle P. Carowan and Mr. Joseph A. Windley.

PTA OFFICERS

President
Mrs. Ashley Winfield

Vice President
Mrs. John Winfield

Secretary
Mrs. Roswell Cox

Treasurer
Mrs. Cecil O'Neal

ROSA GRAY HAMILTON
To know Rosie is to love her.

MARGARET ANDREOLI
She serves as an efficient and capable office secretary.

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SENIORS

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

1953

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DORAN CUTHRELL

WAYNE RADCLIFFE

Mascots

CLASS COLORS
Green and White

MOTTO—*Be Square*

CLASS FLOWER
White Gladiola

CLASS POEM

Like a dream it all comes over us
As Graduation time draws near;
Like a dream it floats before us
As we think of all the years
That we've studied, unyielding
Through the grades as we came,
Anxiously working toward high school
Until we achieved the fame
Of being Freshmen and then Sophomores.
The experiences we then shared
Were only surpassed a little later
When "Juniors" we were declared!
In our dream we can remember
The success of our Junior Play,
And also the many preparations
That made possible our Banquet Day.
But of all our sacred memories
The ones that will be most dear
Will be these which are almost finished,
The memories of our Senior year.
The thrill of selecting our Mascots,
The pride of choosing our rings,
The honor of being "Dignified Seniors,"
Were only a few of the things.
But now our dream turns to reality
As graduation is almost here.
We now know we will soon be leaving
The things we have held so dear.
But even as our thoughts turn to leaving
And we think of saying good-bye,
We'll always dream of and respect you,
Dear old "Pantego High!"

—Hazel Paul

SHIRLEY ALLEN

She'll prove useful in a pinch, if pinched hard enough.

4-H 1, 2, 3; FHA 1, 2: Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3; Dramatics 3.

NANCY AYCOCK

Give me a thousand men, but give them to me one at a time.

Beta 1, 2, 3, 4; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Annual Staff 3, 4; Paper 4; Bus Driver 4; Lib. Asst. 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Junior Play.

PAULINE BARRETT

Born to talk, and talk she must.

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3; Glee 1, 2, 3; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Pub. Speak. 3.

CAROL BISHOP

Anybody seen Betty?

Lit. Soc. 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Bus Driver 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3.

CATRETA BOWEN

I love to work, it fascinates me; I can sit and look at it for hours.

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta 1, 2, 3, 4; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Pub. Speak. 3; 4-H 1, 2, 4; Paper Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Asst. Treasurer 4.

JANE BOWEN

Always busy on many things few completed.

Beta 1, 2, 3, 4; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3; Pub. Speak. 3; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Reporter 3; Paper Staff 4.

Claudie Brooks

Women are meant to be loved and not understood.

Baseball 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1; Pub. Speak. 3; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Paper Staff 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Bus Driver 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader (Chief) 3; Junior Play.

Joyce Canady

A happy heart is better than a full purse.

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta 1, 2, 3; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Pub. Speak. 3, 4; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Lib. Asst. 4; 4-H 1; RC Coun. Coun. 3, 4.

Anna Carter

If I could be still long enough, I might study.

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Junior Play.

Anna Deane Davis

Never ready—always late; but she smiles and so we wait.

Beta 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 3; Booster 1, 2; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Pub. Speak. 3; Paper Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Reporter 1; Secretary 3; Vice President 4; Basketball 1, 2; Timekeeper 3, 4; Marshall 1, 2; Chief 3; Scholastic Medal 3; Junior Play.

Magnolia Duckworth

She enters the room—voice first.

Glee 2, 3; 4-H 2, 3; Beta 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Debating 4; FHA 2, 3, 4.

Inez Everett

Why think? It disturbs the mind!

Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 4; Booster 1, 2; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Paper Staff 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Athletic Medal 3; Junior Play.

Joyce Gaylord

Beware! I may do something sensational yet.

Beta 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Pub. Speak. 3; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Paper Editor 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Treas. 1; Pub. Speak. Medal 3; 4-H 1; Citizenship Medal 1.

Betsy Long

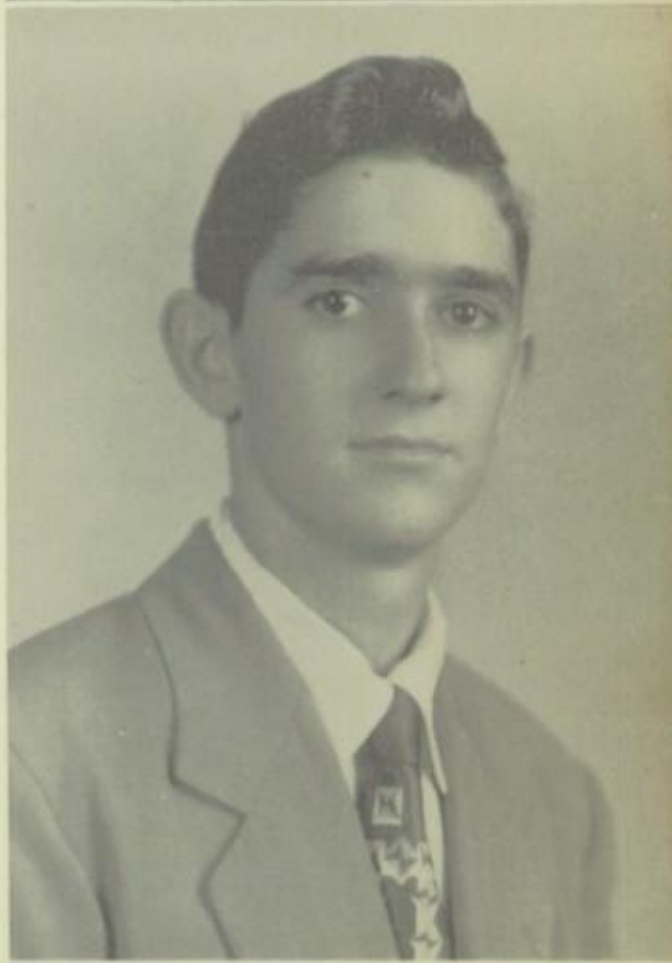
Full of fun and mischief too.

Beta 1, 2, 3, 4; Dist. Sec. 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Banq. Waitress 2; Miss PHS 3; Vice Pres. 3; Reporter 4; Paper Staff 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Lib. Asst. 3, 4; Marshal 3; Junior Play.

Norman Midgette

Why hurry? Better late than never.

Pres. 2, 3, 4; Glee 3; Bus Driver 4; Debating 4; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; FFA 1, 3, 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Pub. Speak. 3; Paper Staff 4; Junior Play 3; Banq. Waiter 2.



Bobby Mobley

Take good care of me. Good men are scarce.

Glee 1, 2, 3; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Pub. Speak. 4; FFA 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1; Bus Driver 4; Banq. Waiter 2; Junior Play.

Hazel Paul

A modest little maid—maybe.

Beta 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Marshall 1, 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3; Paper Staff 4; Pres. 1; Secretary 4; Banq. Waitress 2; Booster 1, 2; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Pub. Speak. 3; Monogram 2, 3, 4. FHA 1, 2, 3, Dist. Sec. 4; Lib. Asst. 4; Annual Staff 3; Editor 4; Junior Play.

Retha Radcliffe

I'm not going to kill myself working, even if I never die.

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta 3, 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Bus Driver 4; Basketball 2, 4; Paper Staff 4.

ROBERT RADCLIFFE

Heard, but seldom seen.

FFA 1, 2; Pub. Speak. 3; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Sec. 1; Glee 2, 3; Bus Driver 4.

HOWARD E. ROSE

In his studies he buries so deep; that way down there, he falls asleep.

FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Paper Staff 4.

HOWARD L. ROSE

Life is what you make it.

FFA 1, 2, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Monogram 3, 4; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Pub. Speak. 3; Bus Driver 4.

EVELYN TETTERTON

It's not what you do; it's what you get caught doing.

Beta 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3; Glee 1, 2, 3; Pub. Speak. 3; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Lib. Asst. 4; Paper Staff 4; Bus Driver 4; Treas. 2; Junior Play.

RENA TOPPING

Look at me with your heart—not your eyes.

Beta 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Pub. Speak. 3, 4; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Lib. Asst. 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 4; Bus Driver 4; Score Keeper 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1; Citizenship Medal 3; Treasurer 4.

SHIRLEY SWANNER

Let what comes, come; it's coming anyway.

4-H 1, 2, 3; FHA 1, 2; Dramatics 3; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3.

LAMBERT VAN WYK

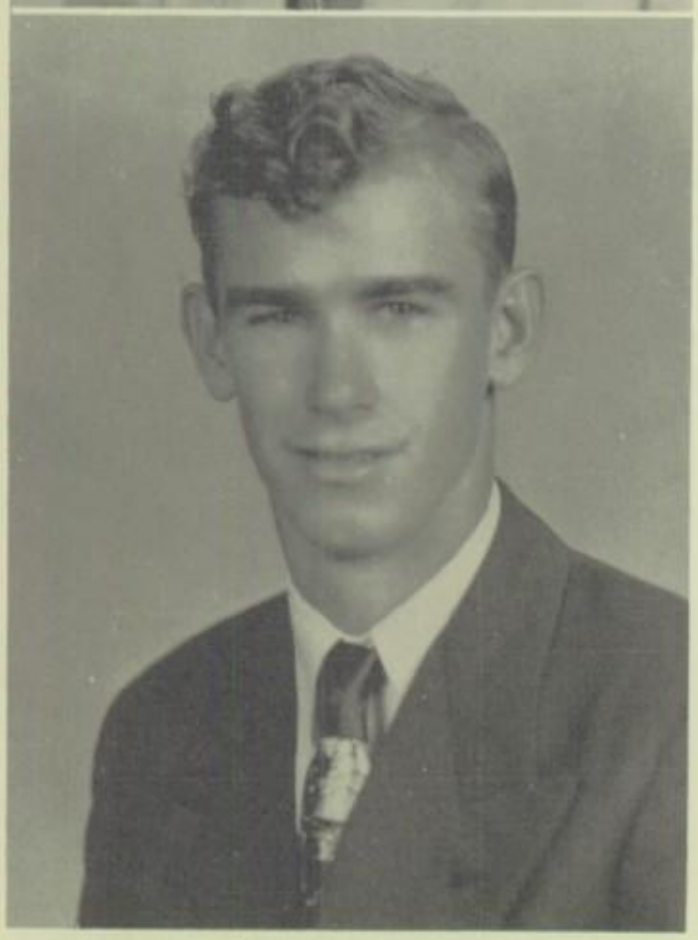
Small deeds done are better than great deeds planned.

Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 4; Pub. Speak. 3; Debating 4; FFA 3, 4; Lit. Soc 3, 4; Bus Driver 4; Glee 3, 4; Beta 3, 4; Paper Staff 4; 4-H 3, 4; Junior Play.

DELOROUS WATERS

Love can make any place agreeable.

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3; Pub. Speak. 3; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3.



JAMES WATERS

If I could only do the things I think of.

Baseball 2; Basketball 1, 2, 4; Pub. Speak. 3; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Reporter 1.

BARBARA WOOLARD

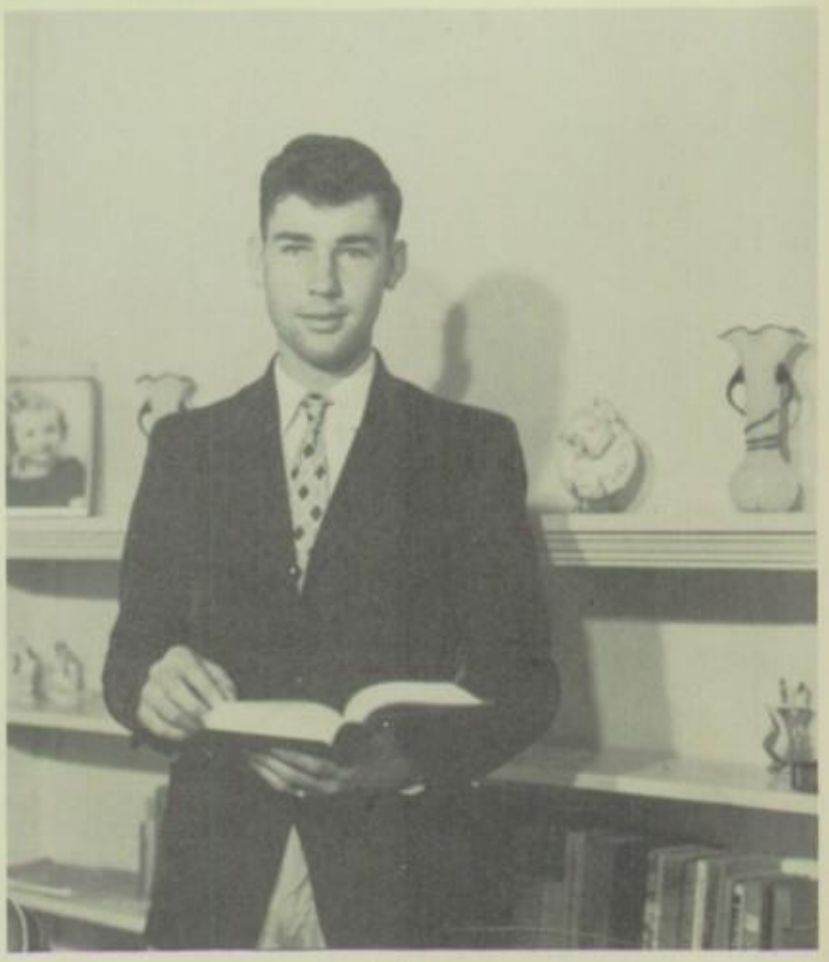
She'll stop St. Peter's roll call to ask a question.

Beta 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 (Captain 2, 3); Bus Driver 4; Booster 1, 2; Lit. Soc. 3, 4; Paper Staff 4; Junior Play.

The days of our high school
Hold memories so dear,
We'll cherish them, classmates.
They'll shine through the years!
And now, as we journey—we see brighter days,
For our future's calling, yes calling always—

The days of our High School
Oh yes, they are calling!
Some good days, some bad days
All dear to our hearts!
At last, now we're Seniors!
We'll face future's gates—
For School bells shall ring out for us no more, Classmates.

Super



Top:
Most Sincere
JANE BOWEN
CAROL BISHOP

Center:
Most Intellectual
Most Likely to Succeed
JOYCE GAYLORD
LAMBERT VAN WYK

Bottom:
Best All Around
RETHA RADCLIFFE
NORMAN MIDGETTE

latives

Top:
Most Dependable
ROBERT RADCLIFFE
RENA TOPPING

Center:
Best Personality
CLAUDIE BROOKS
BARBARA WOOLARD

Bottom:
Best Leader
NORMAN MIDGETTE
HAZEL PAUL

Senior

Features

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LEETA MAE TOOLEY
Freshman President

KELLEY WALLACE, JR.
Junior President

UNDERCLASSES

1953

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Walter Lee Blake
Ann Bowen
Linwood Bowen

Ralph Bowen
Jeannette Boyd
Joyce Boyd

Jun

Jane Brooks
Mary Chambers
Talmage Cooper

Fred Cutler
Robert Cuthrell
Pauline Daw

iors

Martha Dixon

Joyce Gaskins

Phyllis Harrison

Ann Jones

Betty Keech

Charlie Keech

Lorraine Keech

Sylvia Latham

Vernon Myers

Frances Newberry

J. H. Newberry

Bobby Paul

Charles Respess

Hassel Respess

Henry Respess

Marianna Respess

Ralph Respess

Juniors

Lillian Swain

Jane Topping

Jimmie Vreugdenhil

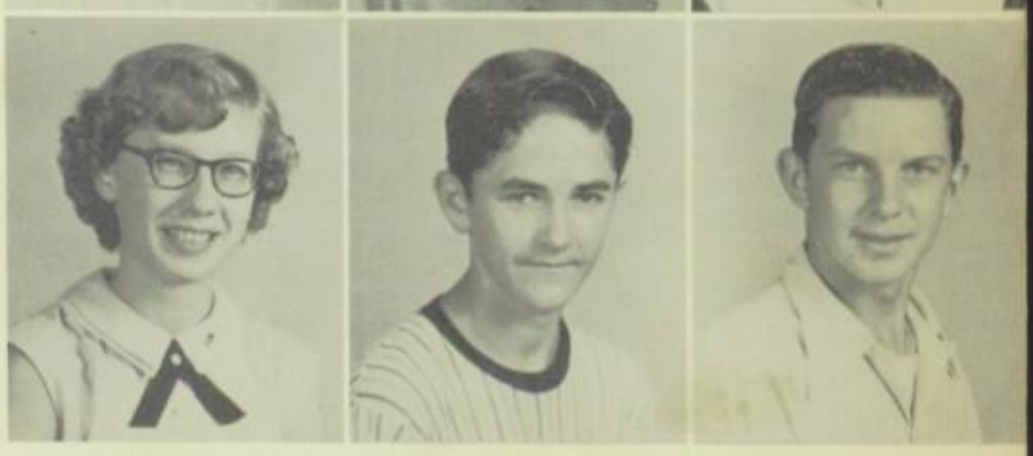
Kelly Wallace, Jr.

Shirley Webster

Ruth Williams

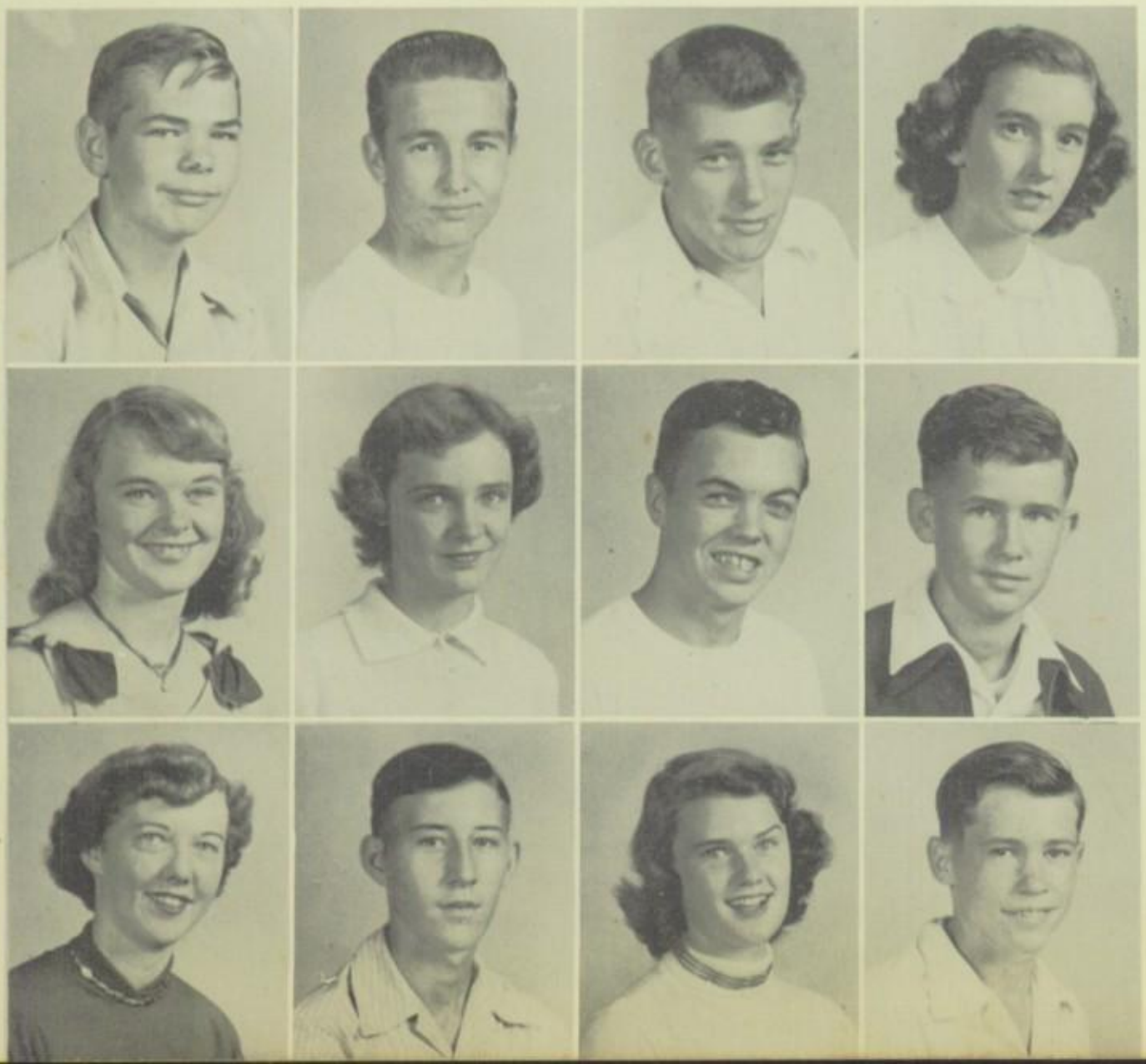
Carolyn Aycock
Marie Barnett

Wilbur Brinn
Patsy Davis
William Everett



Betty Gaylord
Ted Harrison
Gene Jackson

Sophomores



Berl Keech
Robert Kelly
Bobby Paul
Sylvia Radcliffe

Nancy Rose
Patsy Rose
Fredrick Spencer
Tommy Tetterton

Shirley Waters
Russel Williams
Ann Winfield
Bruce Woolard

Nellie Allen
Billy Baynor
Shirley Cooper

De Lores Cutler
Vickie Eborn
J. D. Hodges

Linwood Keech
Margaret Knight
Cleata Linton

Sophomores

Jean Modlin
Douglas O'Neil
James Radcliffe

Myrna Respess
Virginia Respess
Horace Stokesberry

Bonnie Waters
Myra Webster
Carlyle Windley

Norma Allen
Wade Allen
Jean Barrett

Elva Brooks
Nelva Brooks
Wayne Baynor

Bobby Cuthrell
Richard Cutler
Clyde Davis
Wayne Davenport

Freshmen

Howard Gaskins
Kenneth Kelly
Albert Keech
Fletcher Latham

Tommy O'Neil
Betty Lou Radcliffe
Gilbert Radcliffe
Diana Rose

Ralph Slade
Lucille Webster
O. B. Windley
Peggy Woolard

R. H. Allen
William Baety
Julian Baety

Mary Ella Bell
Clinton Boyd
Peggy Cox

Wade Cullifer
Donald Harrison
Lilly Jefferson
Earl Jones

Freshmen

Linwood Keech
William Keech
Larry Linton
Robert Modlin

Elizabeth Newberry
Carolyn Respess
Dorothy Respess
Billy Swanner

Leeta Mae Tooley
Velma Waters
Dorothy Woolard
Grace Woolard

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ACTIVITIES

1951-52 MARSHALS

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High School Choralaires

Sponsor—MISS ROSA GRAY HAMILTON

Director—MR. JESSE JONES

Betas

President .....JOYCE GAYLORD

Vice President .....CARLYLE WINDLEY

Secretary .....DELORES CUTLER

Treasurer .....NORMA JANE BOWEN

Reporter .....JANE TOPPING

Advisor .....MRS. MYRTLE CAROWAN

FFA

Sponsor—Mr. Charles B. Elks

Sponsor—Mrs. Carrie Joyner

FHA

Debating Club

Bus Drivers Club

Public Speaking Club

Literary Society A

Sponsor—Mrs. Helen Byrum

Literary Society B

Sponsor—Mr. Joseph Windley

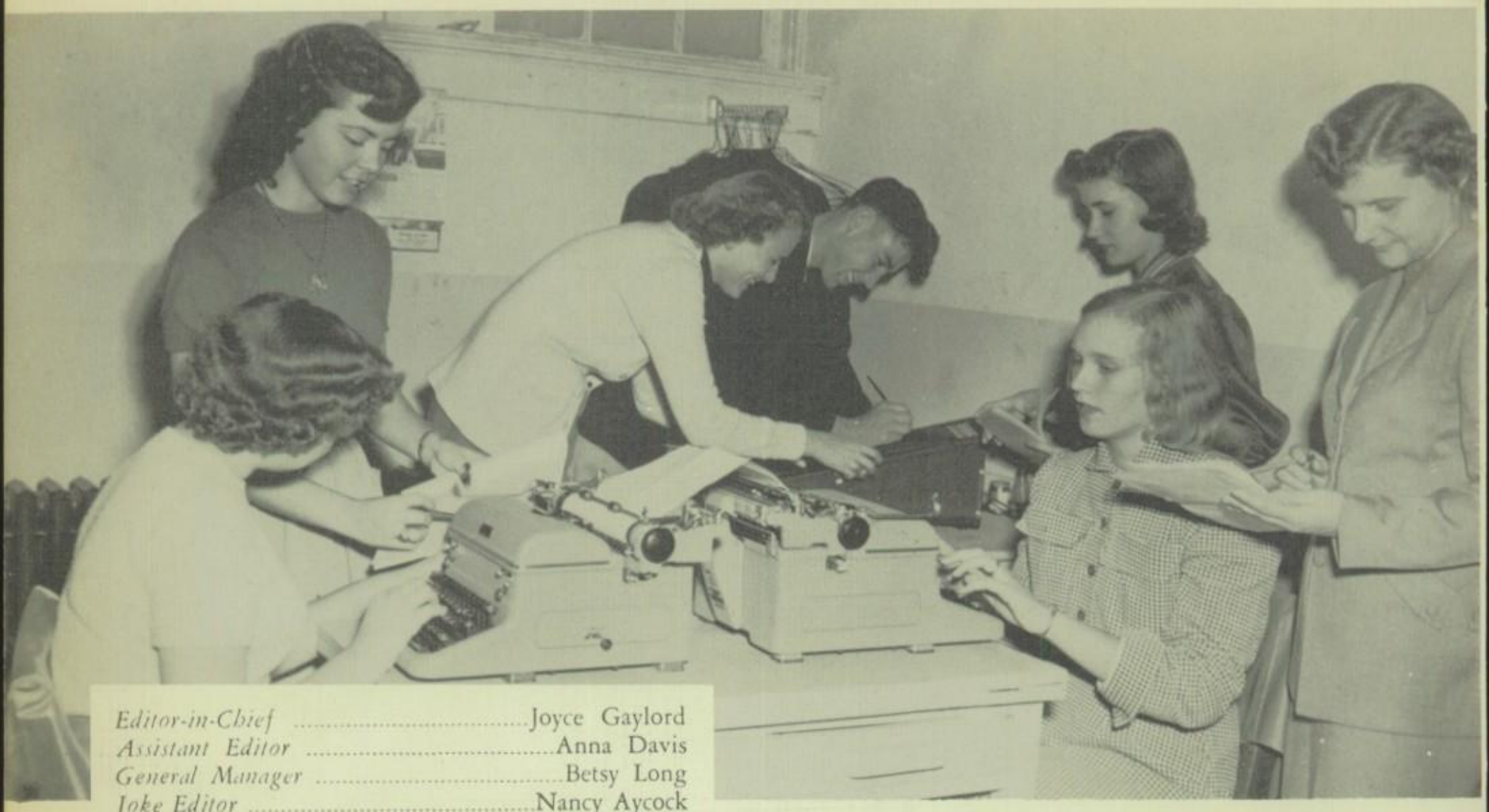
Literary Society C

Sponsor—Mr. H. D. Epting

Literary Society D

Sponsor—Miss Anna Jean Poole

Spotlight



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Joke Editor ..... Nancy Aycock
Art Editors ..... Lambert Van Wyk
Inez Everett
Business Managers ..... Retha Radcliffe
Jane Bowen
Sports Editors ..... Norman Midgette
Barbara Woolard
Editorial Advisor ..... Mrs. Helen Byrum
Production Advisor ..... Mrs. Myrtle Carowan

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Reporters—Claudie Brooks, Howard E. Rose, Delouous Waters, Rena Topping, Robert Radcliffe

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INEZ EVERETT
Girl Athlete
HOWARD L. ROSE
Boy Athlete

SPORTS

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Coach Windle

Monogram

Cheer Leaders

Left to right: Ann Bowen, Bobby C. Paul, Jane Topping, Ted Harrison, Elva Brooks, Charles Respess, Myrna Respess.

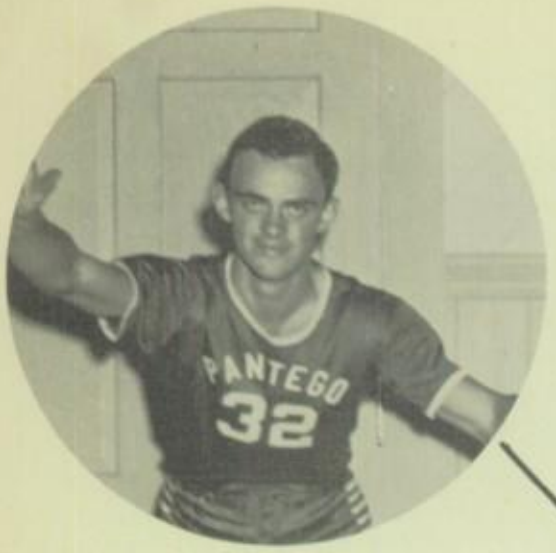
Bottom row, left to right: Ralph Bowen, Bobby Paul, Robert Kelly, Claudie Brooks, Howard L. Rose.

Middle row: Wade Harrell, Bill Everett, Lambert Van Wyk, Bobby Paul, J. H. Newberry, Jimmy Vreugdenhil.

Top row: Mr. Windley, Bruce Bowen, Dallas Boyd, Jimmie Slack, Gene Jackson, Norman Midgette, Walter Lee Blake.

Baseball

HOWARD L. ROSE



ROBERT KELLY

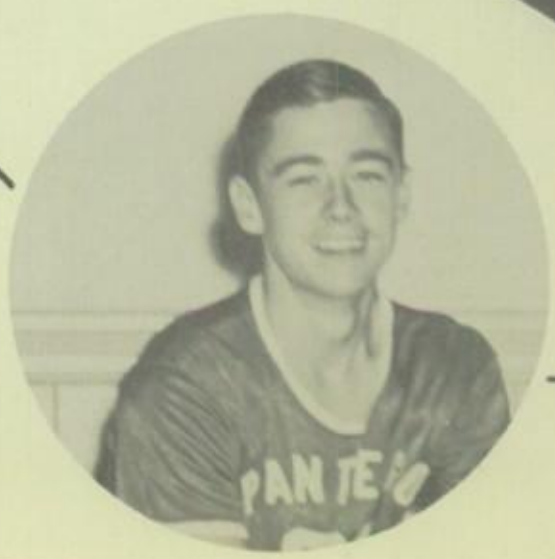
Bo

Basket

Captain

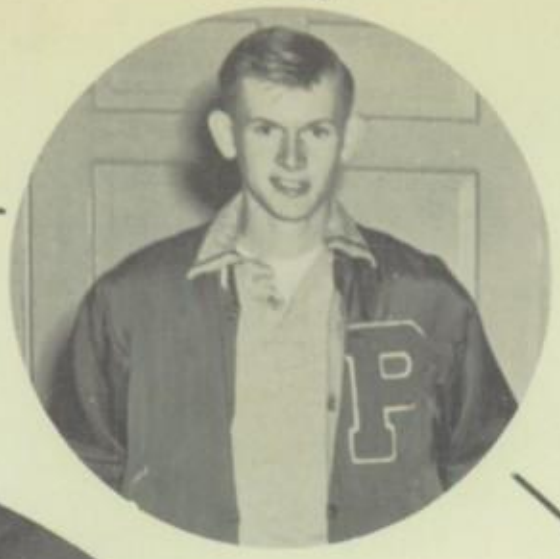
RALPH BOWEN

JIMMIE VREUGDENHIL



KELLY WALLACE

NORMAN MIDGETTE
Manager



BILL EVERETT

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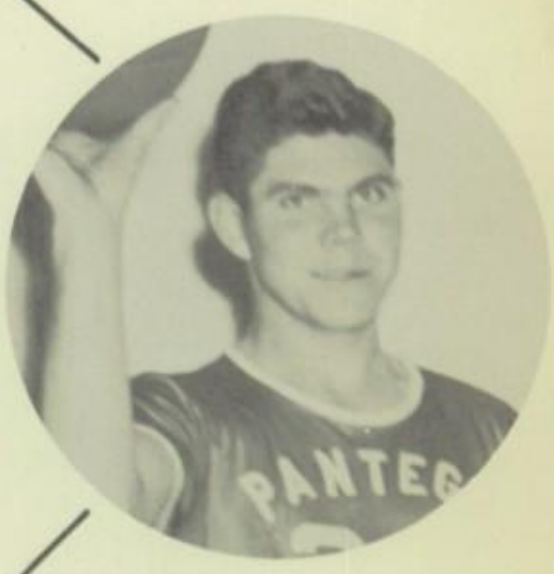
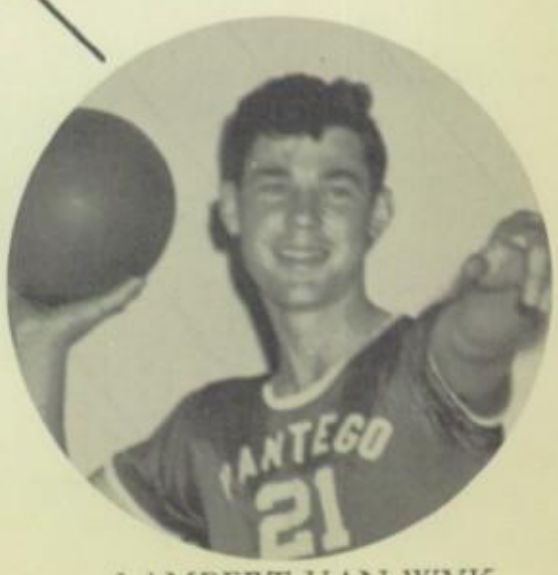
Co-Captain



TALMAGE COOPER

ball

JAMES WATERS



LAMBERT VAN WYK

BARBARA WOOLARD
Guard

RUTH WILLIAMS
Guard

Left to right:
Margaret Knight
Joyce Gaskins
Betsy Long
Carolyn Aycock
Ann Winfield
Carolyn Respess

JOYCE GASKINS
Guard

INEZ EVERETT
Forward

Left to right:
Ruth Williams
Inez Everett
Barbara Woolard
Nancy Rose
Diana Rose
Marie Barnett

BETSY LONG
Forward

NANCY ROSE
Forward

Senior Athletes

Left to right:
RETHA MASON RADCLIFFE—Softball 1; Basketball 1, 2
HAZEL PAUL—Basketball 2, 3
ANNA DEANE DAVIS—Basketball 1, 2; Timekeeper 3, 4
NANCY AYCOCK—Basketball 1, 2
INEZ EVERETT—Softball 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; All-Star Team 3; Voted Most-Athletic 4
BARBARA WOOLARD—Softball 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; All-Star Team 1, 3
RENA TOPPING—Scorekeeper 2, 3, 4
BETSY LONG—Softball 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
LAMBERT VAN WYKE—Basketball 4; Baseball 3, 4
NORMAN MIDGETTE—Basketball 2, 3; Baseball 3; Basketball Manager 4
HOWARD L. ROSE—Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4
CLAUDIE BROOKS—Baseball 1, 2, 3; Chief Cheerleader 3
JAMES WATERS (not shown)—Basketball 2, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4

In the ninth grade, Barbara Woolard was the only member of our class to make first team as left guard. Inez Everett and Betsy Long were on second team as guards, with Anna Davis and Nancy Aycock as forwards. Claudie Brooks played third base on the baseball team.

In the tenth grade, Anna Davis, Hazel Paul, Betsy Long, Inez Everett, Barbara Woolard, Retha Radcliffe, Howard L. Rose, and Norman Midgette were members of the basketball squads. James Waters and Claudie Brooks played baseball this year with Rena Topping acting as Scorekeeper.

Betsy Long, Barbara Woolard, Inez Everett, Hazel Paul, Howard L. Rose, and Norman Midgette remained on the basketball teams in the eleventh grade. Anna Davis was Timekeeper and Rena Topping was again Scorekeeper.

In our Senior year, Inez Everett and Betsy Long played on girls' first team as forwards with Barbara Woolard on first team as guard. James Waters, Lambert van Wyke, Howard L. Rose and Norman Midgette were on boys' team. Anna Davis and Rena Topping remained Scorekeeper and Timekeeper.

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Joan Van Garsel
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Gloria Stotesberry

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Sylvia Shavender

Peggy Wallace
Mary Waters
Georgia Winfield
Joe Windley

Second Grade

MRS. ALLEN

Hazel Beatty

Barbara Bowen

Jane Bishop

Effie Cooper

First row: Mickey Cox, Gary Davis, Bobby Van Garsel, Carolyn Hardee, Roger Hardee, John Harris.

Second row: Frances Jarvis, Johnny Ratcliffe, Mamie Radcliffe, Wanda Radcliffe, Lessie Rascoe, Julia Sutton.

Third row: Cora Tetterton, Betty Waters, Carol Waters, Alton Woolard, Phyliss Woolard, Verna Vaughn.

Third Grade

MRS. AYCOCK

Bonner Allen

Peggy Allen

First row: Chester Askew, Carolyn Bell, Raeford Beaty, Wanda Benson, Lois Bowen. Patsy Brooks.

Second row: Roswell Cox, Katie Chambers, Rae Craddock, Billy Durham, Geneva Gaylord, Linda Gaylord.

Third row: John Jones, Carolyn Keech, Leonard Keech, Joy Jefferson, Paul Harris, Edward Harris.

Fourth row: George Cuthrell, Mildred O'Neal, James Respess, Lula Radcliffe, William Modlin, Fred Waters.

Benjamin Allen
Olin Midgette
Judy Keech

Marie Linton
Carroll Pilley
Murphey Respess
Dorothy Sawyer

Nelva Adams
Ava Allen
Carney Bess
Myrtle Boyd

Third and Fourth Grades

MRS. HAMILTON

Alice Davis
Phylis Keech
Charles Hassel
Stephen Harris

Orvil Jones
Johnny Lilly
Charles Rose
Calvin Respess

Wilbur Sawyer
Ada Tetterton
Kerby Webster
Jean Williams

James Allen
Tommy Allen
Kay Allen
Bessie Anderson
Magaline Ayers

Lou Bishop
Jane Blake
Shirley Bowen
Katie Bowen
Joseph Bowen

David Brinn
Wayne Davis
Nellie Daw
Alice Gray
Judy Harris

Fourth Grade

MRS. LONG

Viola Harris
Hazel Heath
Matts Hudson
Sylvia Jennette
Don Keech

Sylvia Keech
Mac O'Neal
Harold Paul
Ronald Paul
Ray Pilly

Ray Respess
Billy Rose
Peggy Roscoe
Audy Shepard
Jackie Slade

Grover Wallace
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Jeannie Whitley
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Annie Ambrose
Elsie Anderson
Hugh Barnett

James Barrett
Jimmy Batey
James Best
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Iris Bowen
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Henry Baynor

Fifth Grade

MRS. JACKSON

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Charles Carowan
Cora Cuthrell
Mary Cutler
Shirley Davenport

Janice Dunshee
Eugene Van Garsel
Gene Gaylord
Joan Gurkin
Amy Keech

Dorinda Pugh
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Carol Webster
Mary Winfield
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James Paul Allen
Grace Ayers
Oran Benson
Mickey Benson

Wanda Cox
Elizabeth Cuthrell
Mildred Cuthrell
Sarah Cuthrell

Fifth And Sixth Grades

MRS. DAVENPORT

David Davis
Lois Ann Harris
Norma Harris
Walter Harris

Lola Lee Keech
Matthew Lilley
Terry Pilley
Ann Marie Radcliffe

Milburn Radcliffe
Joan Sawyer
Roland Toley
Becky Whitley
James Woolard

Brenda Allen
Annetta Allen
Billy Allen
Janice Askew
Glenda Askew

Thelma Jo Askew
J. B. Bell
Linda Brinn
Florine Copeland
Delores Cox

Floyd Cutler
Russel Cutler
Flynn Hardee
Racheal Heath
Marie Keech

Sixth Grade

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Faye Kelly
Lessie Lanier
Brenda Lilley
Debbie Lilley

Jimmy Linton
Doris Modlin
Harold Radcliff
Johnny Respess
Nolan Respess

Wanda Rose
Alan Wayne Russ
Janice Russ
Susie Spencer
Donald Stotesberry

Lora Lee Stotesberry
James Waters
Ted Waters
Gary Williams
Jimmie Windley

Alice Adams
Claudia Allen
Norman Aller
Paul Barrett

Lois Blake
Brenda Bowen
Christine Boyd
Roger Bowen

Lloyd Cuthrell
Eleanor Harris
John Harris
Albert Harris

Seventh Grade

MRS. WILKINSON

Carolyn Keech
Thomas Keech
Melburn Kelly
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Dianne Manning

Joyce Midgette
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Wilford Respess
Mildred Sawyer
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Seventh And Eighth Grade

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Linda Waters
June Woolard
Barbara Harris

T. L. Harris
James Hassel
Lindsey Knight
Winnie Lilley

Frankie Pilley
Robert Radcliffe
Myrtle Stotesberry
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Frank Batey
Marion Blake
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Jackie Cuthrell
Marshall Cutler
Ada Davis
Frances Davis
Martha Davis

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Robert Gray
Adrian Herring
Heber Jarvis
Dallas Keech

Marvin Keech
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Donald Paul
Nicky Paul
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Class History

Way back in the ancient year of 1949, forty-two bright-eyed, but somewhat awkward youngsters entered the Great Halls of Learning at Pantego High School.

We were awed and taken back by the great powerful "Upperclassmen," but it did not take us long, however, to find that they were not as bad as they seemed but were very nice.

When school opened for the term 1949-1950, which was our Freshman Year, we had many new teachers and a new principal, Mr. Kelly Wallace. The new teachers were: Mrs. Myrtle Paul Carowan, who taught the Commercial subjects; Miss Anne Alman who taught the girls Home Economics; our other teachers, Mr. Joseph Windley, Mr. Paul Long, Mrs. Jack Harris, and Mrs. J. T. Byrum who had been members of the High School Faculty the year before.

We gained three new classmates this year, and they were: Hulda Cullifer and J. H. Newberry from Pinetown and Preston Watson from Fairfield. During this term, we had the good fortune of having Mrs. Myrtle P. Carowan as our homeroom teacher, and our thanks go to her for starting us off on the right foot in our high school career. Hazel Paul was our Class President, and a very efficient one to say the least.

It was not long before our class had gained the reputation of being one of the loudest in high school, but even with all our talking and many good times, ten members of the class had the great honor of being asked into the Beta Culb. They were: Joyce Gaylord, Hazel Paul, Rena Topping, Evelyn Gaskins, Jane Bowen, Nancy Aycock, Anna Dean Davis, Betsy Long, Pauline Barrett, and Catreta Bowen. We were proud of this good number representing our class in such an Honor Society.

Anna Davis and Hazel Paul had the highest scholastic averages in the class and were, for this reason, selected to serve as Marshals at graduation. Joyce Gaylord received the Citizenship Medal this year.

When school opened for the year 1950-1951, we found ourselves with the educational status of sophomores with Mr. Joseph Windley as our homeroom advisor and had a population of thirty-five. We were glad to welcome Bobby Mobley from Plymouth and Magnolia Duckworth from Greenville as our new classmates, but were very sorry to lose: Rudolph Bell, Roselyn Bowen, Roy Boyd, J. T. Daniels, Phrosene Latham, Sherman Linton, Roy Sheppherd and Elda Dean Slade. Three new faculty members, Mr. Ed-

ward Jones, husband of the former Miss Anne Alman, Miss Jean Williams, and Mr. Charles Elks joined in guiding us through this year. Norman Midgette led the class as President and Joyce Canady, Hulda Cullifer, and Magnolia Duckworth had the privilege of becoming Beta Club members.

The outstanding event of this year was the Holiday Junior-Senior Banquet at which eight members of the class, Hulda Cullifer, Betsy Long, Doris Keech, Hazel Paul, Bobby Mobley, Norman Midgette, J. H. Newberry, and Preston Watson, served as waiters and waitresses.

Anna Davis and Hazel Paul again represented our class as Marshals.

With the opening of the 1951-1952 school term, we found ourselves one step higher on the rungs of the ladder towards our ultimate goal—Graduation! During this, our Junior year, one of the new faculty members, Mrs. Betty S. Guilford of Chocowinity, had the high position of being our advisor. We gained Lambert Van Wyk from Terra Ceia and lost Doris Keech, Vernon Myers, Nellie Allen, Ralph Dunbar, J. H. Newberry, Preston Watson, and Sara Boyd. Again this year, we had two new faculty members in addition to Mrs. Guilford, and they were: Mrs. Carrie Joyner and Miss Anna Jean Poole. Norman Midgette was again Class President and three of our classmates, Delouous Waters, Lambert van Wyk, and Retha Radcliffe, became members of the Beta Club.

This was an unusually busy year, having our Junior Play and entertaining the Senior Class at a banquet. The play, "The Stuffed Shirt" was a huge success, and our banquet, which was held at Club Saleeby's in Washington, was semi-formal and carried out a Spanish theme with ten members of the Sophomore Class serving as waiters and waitresses. This year a new contest was carried on in the High School and that was the selection of a girl who would be "Miss Pantego High." Our class was proud to have one of our own Juniors, Betsy Long, receive this delightful honor.

The Chief Marshal, who is always a Junior, was Anna Davis with Hazel Paul and Betsy Long serving as the other two marshals from our class.

Our class was well represented at Commencement when Joyce Gaylord, Rena Topping, Anna Dean Davis, and Inez Everett received medals for outstanding ability in their respective fields. We concluded our Junior Year in a flurry of parties and the delightful prospects of being rising Seniors!

"Dignified Seniors," at last! When we entered School for our last year, we found ourselves indeed fortunate in having Mrs. Myrtle Paul Carowan as our Senior advisor and Mr. Charles B. Elks as our sponsor. We had Mr. H. D. Epting and Mr. Jesse M. Jones as new faculty members. The three teachers who remained with us all four years of our High School career were: Mrs. Myrtle P. Carowan, Mrs. J. T. Byrum, and Mr. Joe Windley.

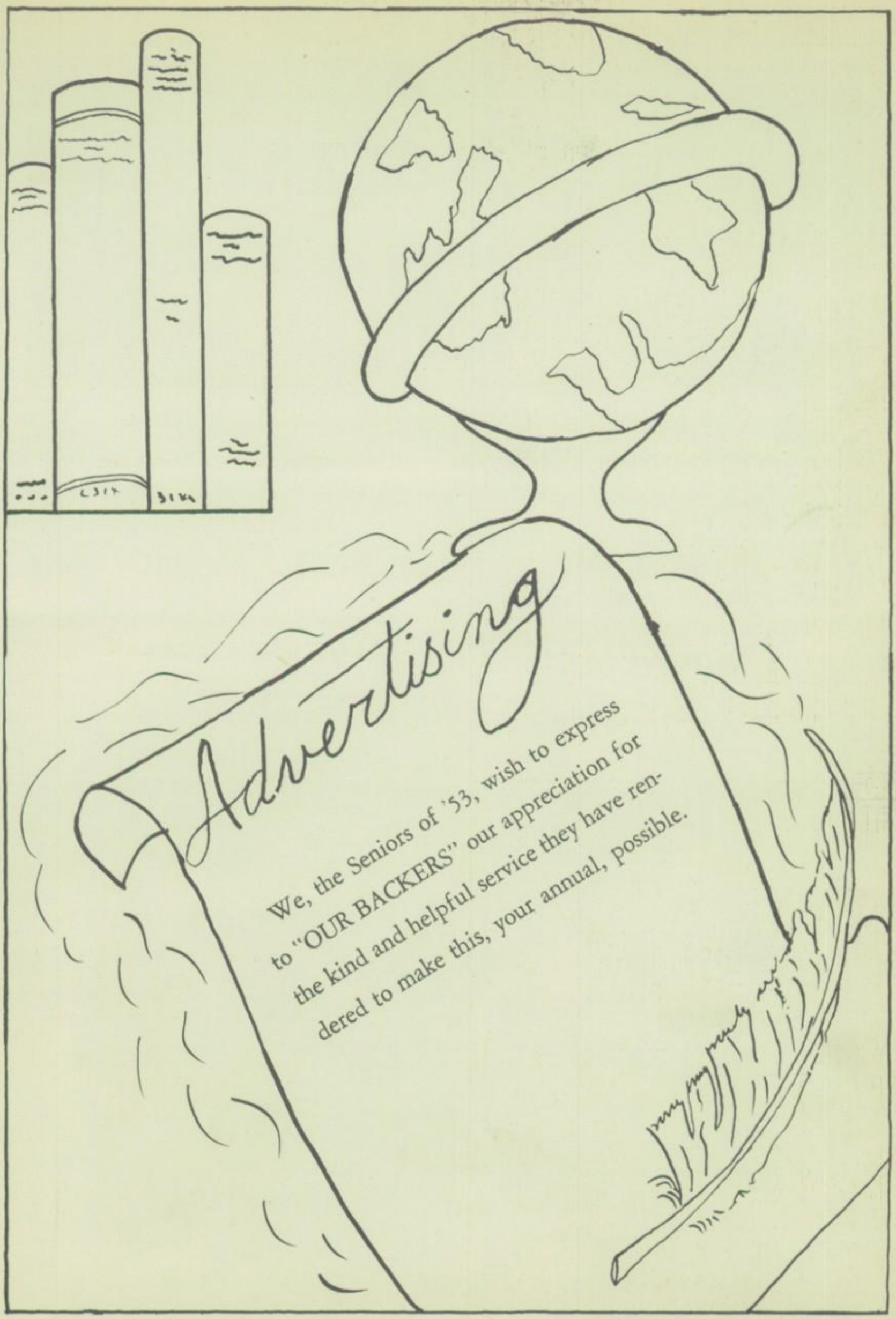
We lost two of our classmates, Hulda Cullifer Sullivan and Ernisteen Allen Heftley, who decided they had rather have a career in marriage than a diploma.

Seniors are usually very busy people and the Seniors of '53 were no exception. First we elected our class officers, Norman Midgette, President; Anna Dean Davis, Vice President; Hazel Paul, Secretary; Catreta Bowen and Rena Topping, Treasurers; and Betsy Long, Reporter.

Those being privileged to become Beta members were Inez Everett and Barbara Woolard. The day Mr. Blackwell came to measure us for our rings was one of the memorable occasions as Seniors. Then came our solicitation for ads in our annual. The selection of mascots was a hard job since there were so many nice little boys and girls to choose from. Finally the vote was cast, however, and Doran Cuthrell and Wayne Radcliffe were chosen as Mascots. On October 23, 1952 occurred one of the happiest occasions of our Senior year . . . the arrival of our long-waited-for class rings! By this time, we were really beginning to feel like Seniors, and even more so when we began work on our annual and selected our caps and gowns. We decided on white caps and gowns with green and white tassels. We looked forward, with great anticipation, to our Senior Play, our Junior-Senior Banquet, and of course, Graduation.

Our loving devotion and loyalty go to our parents, our classmates, and our teachers who have so untiringly guided us through these past twelve years of our lives, and may we long remember them with some of the same kindness that they have showered upon us.

CATRETA BOWEN
Historian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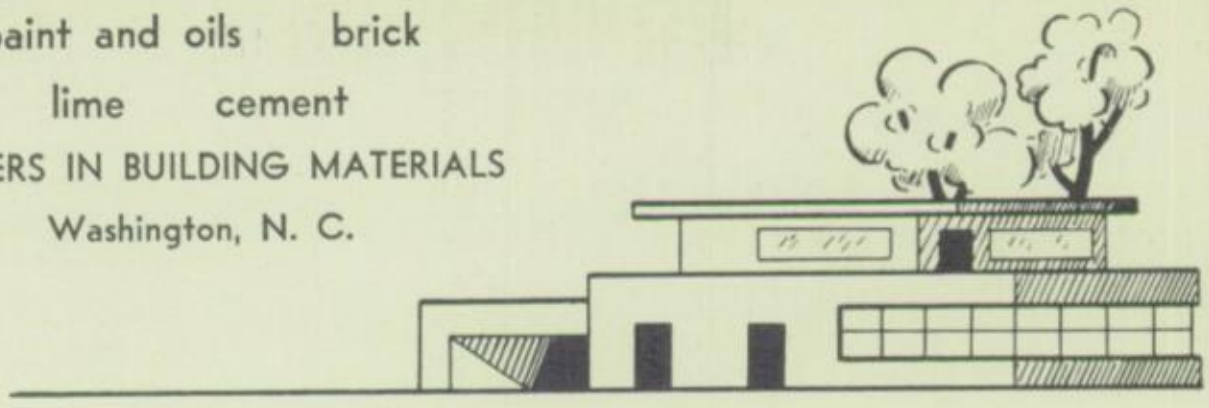

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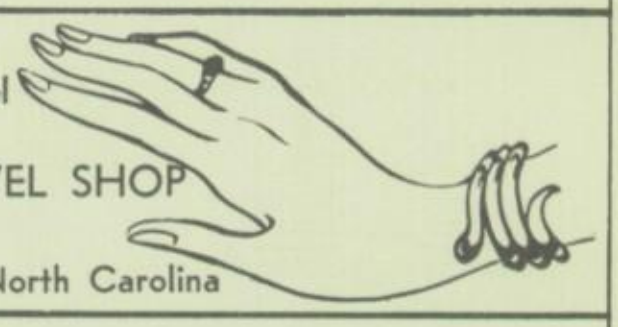

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